NOTICE OF INTENTION TO AMEND THE CONFLICT OF INTEREST CODE OF THE METROPOLITAN TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Metropolitan Transportation Commission (MTC), pursuant to the authority vested in it by section 87306 of the Government Code, proposes amendment to its conflict of interest code. A comment period has been established commencing on November 13, 2019 and closing on December 30, 2019. All inquiries should be directed to the contact listed below.

MTC proposes to amend its conflict of interest code to include employee positions that involve the making or participation in the making of decisions that may foreseeably have a material effect on any financial interest, as set forth in subdivision (a) of section 87302 of the Government Code. The amendment carries out the purposes of the law and no other alternative would do so and be less burdensome to affected persons.

Changes to the conflict of interest code include: changes reflecting the addition of a designated position resulting from MTC's affiliation with BARC; the addition of two new positions created during the past fiscal year as designated positions; and other technical changes.

The proposed amendment and explanation of the reasons for the changes can be obtained from the agency's contact.

Any interested person may submit written comments relating to the proposed amendment by submitting them no later than December 30, 2019, or at the conclusion of the public hearing, if requested, whichever comes later. At this time, no public hearing is scheduled. A person may request a hearing no later than December 13, 2019.

MTC has determined that the proposed amendments:

- 1. Impose no mandate on local agencies or school districts.
- 2. Impose no costs or savings on any state agency.
- 3. Impose no costs on any local agency or school district that are required to be reimbursed under Part 7 (commencing with Section 17500) of Division 4 of Title 2 of the Government Code.
- 4. Will not result in any nondiscretionary costs or savings to local agencies.
- 5. Will not result in any costs or savings in federal funding to the state.
- 6. Will not have any potential cost impact on private persons, businesses or small businesses.

Copies of the proposed amendment and explanation of the reasons for it will be made available to any interested person who calls Rosy Leyva, Secretary to the Commission, during business hours at (415) 778-6700. Written requests for copies of

the proposed amendment and explanation of the reasons for it, and written comments on the amendment, may be sent to Ms. Leyva at MTC's offices, 375 Beale Street, Suite 800, San Francisco, CA 94105. Any inquiries concerning the proposed amendment should be directed to Cynthia Segal, Deputy General Counsel, at (415) 778-6713, or csegal@bayareametro.gov.